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The Children’s LAW Center Annual Gala

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2022
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Musical Performance

Jeremy Galloway Quartet

The Jeremy Galloway Quartet features members who are alumni of the Hartt School and WCSU music conservatories, and current residents of the Greater Hartford Area.

- Nathan Edwards on tenor saxophone
- Tim Weisman on bass
- Akin Hobson on drums
- Jeremy Galloway on guitar
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Bring a Smile to a Child’s Face with **Clementine the Cow** or with a **Vintage CLC Stuffed Animal**!

These adorable animals will certainly bring a smile to our child clients’ faces and will make a wonderful gift for any child in your life... or for the child at heart!

Donate a stuffed animal (or more than one!) for a CLC client and we will handle the rest!

Purchase the stuffed animal of your choice for a loved one or for yourself at the Gala for $25!
Fund a Kinder Day

Since 1993, our programs have transformed vulnerable children, moving their tumultuous family circumstances in a positive direction. Please consider donating to Fund a Kinder Day for our child clients.

$1,000 Pays for 3 days in court negotiating or making an argument in a child’s best interest, and three mediation sessions in the Families in Transition Program.

$500 Pays for six mediation sessions in the Families in Transition Program.

$250 Pays for a day in court, negotiating or making an argument in the child’s best interest.

$100 Pays for substantive law training and mental health trainings for the professional staff ensuring the highest quality representation.

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Congratulations to the Children’s Law Center!

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With profound gratitude for the dedication of the staff and appreciation for the support of the Children’s Law Center’s numerous volunteers and many generous donors, we add our sincere thanks to everyone who is working to ensure the success of this vital organization.

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Congratulations on another year helping families focus on the well-being of their children!

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